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FOR: CRYSTAL MODIFICATION OF A N-PHENYL-2-PYRIMIDINEAMINE

DERIVATIVE, PROCESSES FOR ITS MANUFACTURE AND ITS

USE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

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Some of the listed references (A and B) are of record in parent Application No. 09/463,097 filed January 18, 2000, and copies are available therein. However, applicants are willing to send copies of any or all of these references at the Examiner's request.

Also, copies of the other cited references (AR and AS) are enclosed herewith.

The Examiner is requested to consider the foregoing information in relation to this application and indicate that each reference was considered by returning a copy of the initialed PTO 1449 form(s).

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